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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action dated August 24, 2010, please consider the following amendments and remarks. In addition, a request for a three month extension of time and payment of the required fee are also submitted herewith. It is believed that no additional fee(s) is required for these submissions. However, should the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office determine that any fee is required or that any refund is owed for this application, the Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge any fees deemed necessary and/or credit any refund owed to our Deposit Account 50-1283.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.